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"NON-STICK COOKING UTENSIL"

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment in the above-identified application.

Applicant claims small entity status.

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.

Appl. No. 10/597,507 Amdt. dated November 16, 2006

Please insert the following section immediately after the title and before the **Field of the Invention**:

Related Application Data

This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119 to Chinese Patent Application No. 200410010658.7, filed on February 2, 2004.